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FM AMEMBASSY SAN SALVADOR

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1939

UNCLAS SAN SALVADOR 3815

FOR CUSTOMS

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, ES

SUBJECT: GSP FORM A

1. EMBASSY HAS LEARNED THAT EL SALVADORAN EXPORTER HAS HAD HIS FORM A DOCUMENT REJECTED BY CUSTOMS NEW ORLEANS AIR-PORT BECAUSE FORM WAS PRINTED ON PLAIN NON-GULLOCHE PAPER. EMBASSY CHECKED WITH MINISTRY OF ECONOMY AND HAS LEARNED THAT AFTER INITIAL STOCK OF UNCTAD SUPPLIED FORMS RAN OUT NEW FORMS WERE PRINTED ON PLAIN PAPER. THESE NEW FORMS ARE THE ONLY

KIND PRESENTLY AVAILABLE TO THE MINISTRY OF ECONOMY FOR DISBURSEMENT TO EXPORTERS. EMBASSY HAS WRITTEN MINISTRY OF ECONOMY INDICATING PROPER SPECIFICATIONS FOR FORM A PAPER AND STATING THAT ANY FORM A NOT SO PRINTED CAN BE REJECTED BY CUSTOMS AT POINT OF ENTRY.

2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE READING FROM CUSTOMS AS TO POSSIBILITIES FOR ALREADY SUBMITTED BUT IMPROPERLY PRINTED FORM A DOCUMENTS BECOMING ACCEPTABLE. EMBASSY WOULD BE WILLING TO REQUEST THAT MINISTRY OF ECONOMY SUPPLY TO EXPORTERS IN THIS SITUATION LETTER SIGNED BY CERTIFYING AUTHORITY RESTATING FORM A INFO AND CERTIFYING ITS VALIDITY.

3. EMBASSY WITH ASSISTANCE U.S. CUSTOMS HAS JUST PARTICIPATED IN EL SALVAORAN SEMINAR EXPLAINING BENEFITS TO LOCAL EXPORTERS OF U.S. GSP PROGRAM. THANKS TO THESE EFFORTS, THERE IS MUCH INTEREST IN U.S. GSP PROGRAM. IT WOULD BE UNFORTUNATE TO HAVE

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THIS INTEREST COOLED BY WHAT LOCAL PRIVATE SECTOR WOULD DEFINE

AS A BUREAUCRATIC ROADBLOCK. ACCORDINGLY, EMBASSY WOULD
APPRECIATE CUSTOMS FEEDBACK ON PARA 2 ASAP.
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